Forensic Services Section

The Forensic Service Section is dedicated to providing quality training and technical assistance to ICITAP programs operating throughout the world.

It is the intent of the Forensic Services Section to draw from the extensive resources of the world wide forensic community to accomplish its mission.

Collaboration with forensic organizations, agencies and individuals are constantly being sought

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Our History

In response to the needs of new and emerging democracies, Congress created the International Criminal Investigative Training Assistance Program (ICITAP) in 1986. ICITAP's mission remains unchanged and is to provide law enforcement assistance in support of the United States foreign policy.

Assistance provided by ICITAP includes institutional development, training of personnel at all levels, donation of equipment and enhancement of forensic capabilities.

Since its creation, ICITAP has conducted projects in nearly 40 countries.

Our Forensic Services

Services provided by ICITAP's Forensic Services Section include:

- Providing technical assistance in all forensic disciplines by highly qualified consultants
- Equipping and training crime scene units
- Establishing internships for advanced training in selected disciplines
- Providing forensic management training and assistance in establishing robust systems
- Donating equipment and instruments to program countries for forensic examinations
- Coordinate the donation of used equipment and instruments to program countries

Our Methods

These services are provided by:

- Contracting with forensic experts to provide specific training courses
- Contracting with forensic experts to provide technical assistance in program countries on both a short term and long term basis
- Coordinating the training resources available from other organizations
- Coordinating distance learning programs for use by forensic scientists from our program countries